

CURTIS ROAD INTERCHANGE BRIDGE REHABILITATION

PUBLIC WORKSHOPS

MEDICAL & EMERGENCY SERVICES

Tuesday, October 19
5:00-6:30 p.m. & 7:00-8:30 p.m.
Saint Alphonsus
Regional Medical Center
Centennial Suite
North Tower - 2nd Floor
1055 N. Curtis Road

RESIDENTIAL

Thursday, October 21
5:00-6:30 p.m. & 7:00-8:30 p.m.
West Junior High School
711 N. Curtis Road

TRUCKING & BUSINESSES

Wednesday, October 27
5:00-6:30 p.m. & 7:00-8:30 p.m.
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The workshops will include a project overview and provide an opportunity for participants to ask questions and give input on possible construction impacts.

Public input will provide information that the Idaho Transportation Department (ITD) can utilize during the design process.

WE WANT YOUR IDEAS!
You are invited to a public workshop regarding the **Curtis Road Interchange Bridge Rehabilitation** project, scheduled for construction in summer 2005. Please plan to attend the workshop that corresponds with your interests or that works best with your schedule. See inside for the time and place of each workshop.

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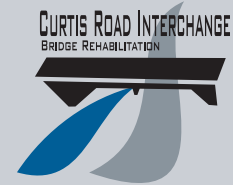
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CURTIS ROAD INTERCHANGE BRIDGE REHABILITATION PROJECT

WHAT WILL THE CURTIS ROAD INTERCHANGE BRIDGE PROJECT DO?

The Curtis Road Interchange Bridge Rehabilitation project will remove the existing bridge deck and replace it with a new concrete overlay, replace expansion joints, repair columns, pier caps and girders; however, the bridge will not be widened. The project will take approximately 3 months to complete.

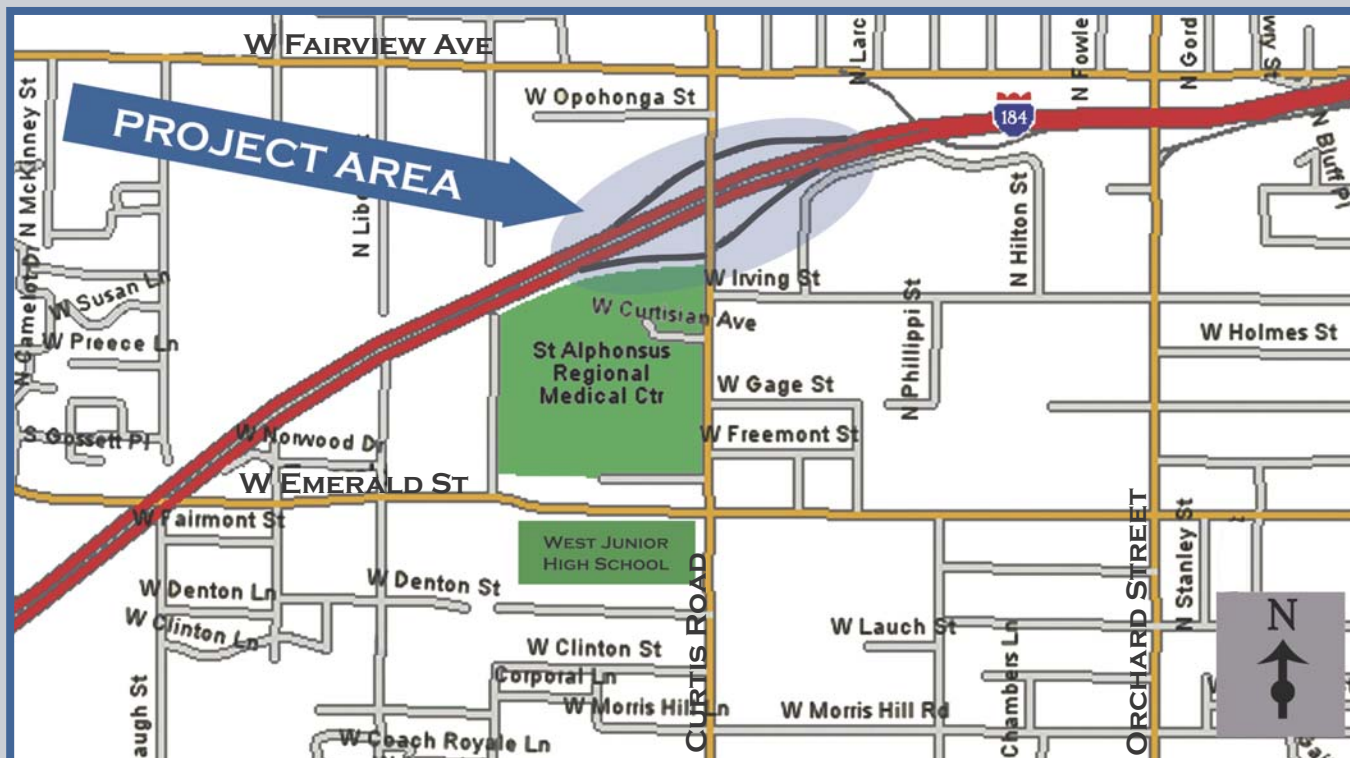
WHY IS IT NEEDED?



Curtis Road is a major route that takes travelers north across the Boise River via Veterans' Memorial Parkway, as well as south to medical facilities and schools. The Curtis Road Interchange is an access point for motorists to travel either east or west on I-184 "the Connector."

The Curtis Road Bridge, built in 1969, carries more than 23,000 vehicles a day – including a high percentage of trucks. The bridge rehabilitation will extend the life of the structure and provide a smoother ride for motorists.

PROJECT AREA



HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?

The Idaho Transportation Department (ITD) wants to minimize impacts to the public. Public input will provide ITD with information that will help during the design process and answer questions such as:

- Should construction be limited to day/night work?
- What is the optimal time of year for construction?
- What is the best way to maintain access to businesses?
- What are emergency services' needs?
- What are the trucking needs?
- What is the best way to get information about the project to the public?

WHEN WILL CONSTRUCTION BEGIN?

This project is currently in the design phase. Bridge rehabilitation work can begin as early as summer 2005. Public input may affect the duration of the project and the time of year it is constructed.

SUBMIT COMMENTS IN WRITING TO:

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